## SEASON REPORTS FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST 1884.

### *Shimoga District.*

*Rain-fall.*—Rain-fall during the month was as follows :—

| | I. | C. | | I. | C. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Shimoga .. | 9 | 98 | Sagar .. .. | 12 | 35 |
| Channagiri .. | 2 | 68 | Nagar .. .. | 57 | 65 |
| Honnali . | 3 | 95 | Tirthahalli .. .. | 3 | 47½ |
| Shikarpur .. | 9 | 20 | Davangere .. .. | 2 | 75 |
| Sorab .. | 20 | 20 | | | |

*Thermometer.*—The average reading of the thermometer at head-quarters was 76·87 at 9-30 A. M. and 78·51 at 3-30 P. M.

*Seeds sown.*—Horse-gram, ragi, jola, navane, &c., were sown during the month. Want of rain is much felt in the Maidan Taluks.

*Crops harvested.*—Green gram and yellu.

*Health.*—Public health indifferent. Fever and small-pox prevalent in some taluks of the District. Twenty-two deaths from cholera were reported from the Davangere Taluk and 10 from the Shikarpur Taluk.

*Prices.*—Stationary.

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for *Dy. Commissioner.*

### *Kadur District.*

*Rain-fall.*—The quantity of rain gauged in the District and Taluk head-quarters was as follows :—

| *Taluks.* | I. | C. | *Taluks.* | I. | C |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Tarikere . | 7 | 2 | Yedahalli .. | .. 18 | 30 |
| Koppa .. | 40 | 80 | Hassan .. | .. 4 | 32 |
| Chikmagalur .. | 10 | 55 | Belur .. | .. 7 | 70 |
| Kadur .. | 1 | 40 | Manjarabad .. | .. 27 | 22 |
| Mudgere .. | 17 | 53 | Arsikere .. | .. 3 | 0 |

*Thermometer.*—The average readings of the thermometer at the District head-quarters were 74·12 at 9-30 A. M. and 75·29 at 3-30 P. M.

*Seeds sown.*—Ragi, ballar, tuvar in Tarikere, Kadur, Hassan and Arsikere Taluks, ragi and paddy in Manjarabad, Belur and Chikmagalur Taluks, paddy in Mudgere.

*Condition of crops.*—Good in Koppa, Chikmagalur, Mudgere, Manjarabad and Belur Taluks, fair in Tarikere and indifferent in other taluks. Arecanut is reported to be affected with koleroga in Koppa Taluk.

*Crops harvested.*—Gid ragi in Hassan, Arsikere and parts of Chikmagalur, black and green gram, coriander and sesamum in Kadur.

*Prospects.*—Fair.

*Health.*—Generally good, except in Koppa, Hassan and Mudgere Taluks, where fever existed. Small-pox continued in Mudgere Taluk.

*Live-stock.*—Condition of cattle was fair, the loss of cattle during the month was 1,105, being 135 less than in the month previous.

*Lands.*—Lands assessed at Rs. 3,494—14—0 were taken up for cultivation, while lands assessed at Rs. 71 were resigned.

*Price.*—Continue as in previous month.

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